Francis D. Moulton, President of the when before the Congressional com-mittee, made the following statement on this loathsome article. International Dairy Fair Association,

The farmers of twenty-three States owning 13,000,000 of milk cown, sup-ported on land worth many hundred millions of dollars, and producing be-tween three and feur hundred millions worth of butter and choose sumually, are directly interested in this oleomargarine question; as are also the 50,000,000 peo-

From the State of Maine in the East to the Rocky, Mountains in the West, and from the lakes in the North to the and from the larer in the North to the Ohio River in the South, the producers of butter are calling for protection from the unfair competition brought upon them by oleonargarine.

Mixed with butter and sold under a false name, it does greater damage because of the dishonest methods employed

came of the dishonest methods employed in its sale. No State law seems competent to deal with it properly; acts of the Legislature, compelling it to be branded, I have seen openly violated by merchants of the highest respectability, who thought it no harm to brand a package with cold into upon a rough stave so indictionally that they could not even discover the mark themselves. The Legislature of Vermont has come the nearest to doing something practicle with reference to it, by passing a law compelling everyone who sells it from the package down to the half pound lump to hand to the purchaser a printed note saying:

Manufactories have been put up in all sections of the country, and they are managed by the abrewdest and best manipulators in any branch of business. Vast sums of money have been invested in the business, and the farmers have to contend with a combination as strong as it is salfish and unfair. In the City of Philadelphia alone, 100,000 pounds are being manufactured weekly, which is at the rate of 5,000,000 pounds a year.

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[New Orleans Times.]

From general observation it seems that a man is ranked according to his wealth and standing in the community. If he has a comfortable income he is a major, but if he possesses a bank or runs a half dozen plantations all letters addressed to him will have the prefix colonel to his name. When a man looms up as a commodore he is a fat bondholder. He owns two or three railroads and very nearly all the people who have business transactions with him. No one has the least idea how many military officers there are in the country until he travels around.

Not long ago an observing man, while on a trip through Georgia, was invited to a fashionable dinner party, and while there, was introduced to sixteen majors, ten colonels and eight judges. He was nothing but a plain Mister, and as he gazed at the notables seated around him he felt like a mere fly-speck in this

Life suddenly grew gloomy and dull, and the more he thought of his humble position the more melancholy he be-came. He wanted to seek some dark, came. He wanted to seek some dark, secluded spot, and there bay the moon until some one mistook him for a dog and shot him with a gun. Sad and listless he roamed about, and when his heart was sinking with despair he was pre-sented to a Mr. Brown. "Are you plain Mr. Brown?" he inquired, as the tears swelled up in his

"Yes, sir; and I am glad to meet you."
"Friend, brother," was all he could say as he fell on Brown's neck and wept. Brown was veritably an oasis in a desert of dignitaries and life was bright once more.

Unhappy Wemen. The king of Belgium and the emperor of Austria are probably the only sovereigns whose lives are honest as husbands and fathers. The Russian emperor's outrageous infidelities broke the heart of as true, loving and gentle a wife as ever a man was blessed with. The prince of Wales is a repetition of George IV.

The emperor of Germany and his empress have lived apart for many years. The queen of Prussia—as the empress
Augusta was in early life—was too apirited a woman to submit to her husband's
open infidelities, and too strong, mentally
and physically, to go down to the grave
for them. Early in her married life she
resented the treatment she received so
seriously that a decorous but no less positive separation was the result. The fismous war telegrams of 1870, so cleverly
caricatured by Punch—

"Thank God, my dear Auguster,
We've had another buster,
Ten thousand French have gone below,
Thank God from whom all blessings flow."

—were elever manufactures of Bismarck.

were elever manufactures of Bismarck. Every one knew that the king and queen of Prussis only spoke and met on public occasions, when they were obliged to, as is the case now. Her imperial majesty has not been her husband's "dear Augus ta" since the first year of her married

The first queen of Holland led a life of royal misery, and her successor's chance is no better. The wife of Victor Emanuel, the mother of king Humbert, died broken-hearted, and the married life of Masgaret of Savoy, queen of Italy, has been a dreary, desolate one, so far as husband, love and devotion are con-

> Making Fortunes. [Wall Street News.]

"You see that man just crossing the street?" remarked a Chicago man to a New Yorker whom he was towing round to show the sights. "Well, that man sold pop-corn in this city for twenty-two years, and is worth

"Did he make it selling pop-corn?"
"Oh! no. He made his pile buying lake front lots." Pretty soon the guide called his attention to a man standing in the door of a bank, and added:

"That man opened the first Bible house west of New York City. Thirty years ago he was rat poor. To-day he runs that bank." "Did he make his money selling Bi-

"Oh! no. He bought prairie land and held on to it."

In the course of ten minutes a big building was pointed out as belonging to a man who reached Chicago nineteen years ago with only fifty cents in his pocket. He opened a night school and now revelled in wealth.

"Did he make it all teaching school?" asked the New Yorker."

"Oh! no. He went into the dray business as soon as he had money enough to buy a horse."

After several more like cases had been referred to, the visitor asked:

"Have you may one single man in

referred to, the visitor asked:

"Have you may one single man in Chicago who has made money in the business he first started?"

"Have we? Let's see; let's see. Yes, we have. I know a man on State street who went into the whisky business twenty years ago, has stuck right to it and is worth \$100,000. If he'd only been sharp enough to turn around, after ten years, and open an undertaker's shop and bury his customers, he'd now shop and bury his customers, he'd no been a millionaire!"

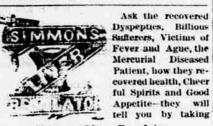
We Hardly Believe It. Some enterprising Minnesotian has overed a new use for alcohol; it is

ke the butter come." In olden times, mys the Red Wing Republican, the thrifty housewife who could not "make the butter come" used all the cream imp wants is a little alcohol, and, when attisfied, he at once releases his hold on the milk globules and the cream yields up its rich butter.

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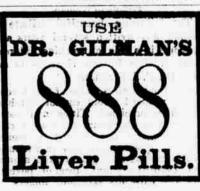
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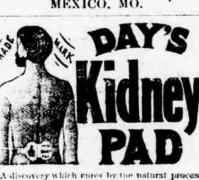
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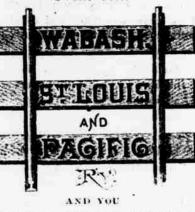
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to any lands in the United States. The following list represents a portion of my Land Register: No. 192.

No. 192.

No. 193.

No. 194.

No. 195.

No. 196.

No. 197.

No. 198.

No. 19 350 acres in farm, all under fence, 40 acres timbered pasture; 40 acres good meadow; 80 acres pasture; balance in cultivation; plenty of timber for home use; creek runs through farm; good orchard. Good one and a half story frame dwelling in good repair; outbuildings fair. The hand is first-class. Situated four and a half miles northeast of [Mexico, Missouri, Price, \$20 per acre.] 240 acres, fronting half mile on public

Farm of so ocres all well fenced, good one story

Farm of 80 ocres all well leneed, good one story frame dwelling house of four rooms, kitchen de-tached, good frame barn 4x44 feet, and other out buildings, yound orchard and abundance of small fruit, 40 acres in cultivation balance tim-bered pasture, situgte 21-2 tilles west of Mexico. Price \$2,500, terms easy. too acres all well fenced and incely a .b-divid-NO. 108.

NO. 108.

Iso acrex under fence, 20 acres timber detached. Farm divided into 3 fields, 25 acres timber, 60 acres blue græss, balance in cultivation. This is rich rolling prairie land; good 2 story frame house, 4 rooms; good barn shed, all sound; good gran cry, good out-houses, good orchard-five varieties of frunt-shade and ornamental trees; 2 good cisterns; good stock water; school house on corner of land, good neighbors. Situated 7 miles southeast of Mexico, and one mile south of Benton City. Price \$20.00 per acre, one half cash, balance to suit purchaser. 170 acres. All under hedge and rail fence 160 acres. All under neede and rail rener, for acres acres of which is in meadow and calli-vation, to acres of Imber detached, good or-chard-well watered by artificial ponds and wells; 35 acres in meadow, one story frame liftuse of 3 rooms, moderate baro; situated 7 miles north of Mexico, near church and school.

NO. 126.

100 acres. All well tenced with hedge and rails, save north side of farm. Subdivided into 4 fields; good one and a half story frame dwelling with 4 rooms and cellar; good stable and corn crib. Orchard of 350 trees. Living well at dwelling artificial ponds, and living water for stock; good coal bank, of 30 inch vein, and good quality of coal. Situated 10 miles northeast of Mexi o, in good neighborhood, near postoffice, school and church. Price \$22,50 per acre, one-half cash, balance in 1 and 2 years, at 8 per cent. NO. 108.

500 acres, 6 miles southwest of Mexico All tenced with hedge and rails, save 20 acres timber detached. 3to acres blue grass and timothy, balance cultivating land. Good comfortable house of 5 tooms, good frame barn 40x40, good baggy house, good granary. Young orchard, well watered by artificial ponds, and running creek water; good well at house. All high assist rolling. Price \$25.00 per acre, one-third cash, balance to suit purchaser.

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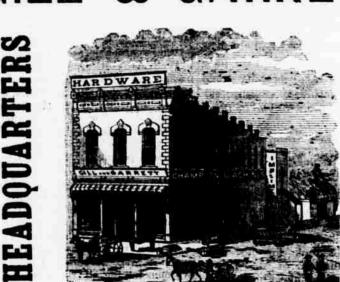
120 acres, all unner fence save 30 acres. Subdivided into 5 fields; 100 acres pasture, 40 acres meadow; all enclosed under the first of creek running through pasture, turnishing water all year round. 2 story frame dwelling, with one story L, 6 rooms in all, good well and good out-buildings. Barn and stable sufficient, fair orchard, Good tena 4 house, good rich iand, and one of the best stock farms in the county, in good neighborhood, convenient to school and church; situated 8 miles north of Mexico. Price \$25.00 per acre, one-third cash; balance, time to suit. 210 acres, all under fence. 125 acres in cultiva-

219 acres, all under Fence. 125 acres in cultiva-tion, 60 acres in pasture; good orchard fenced with plank, containing 200 trees; good garden fenced with pickets; good frame dwelling of 4 rooms, hen house, smoke house, log stable shed-ded all around, room for eight horses; good corn crib, good well, two large ponds; school house within 225 yards of dwelling. Situated 6 miles northeast of mexico. Price \$20, per acre; \$10.0 cash; balance, time to sult purchaser. 104 acres, all under fence. 30 acres in clover, 40 acres corn ground, balance in pasture and timber. Good one and half story frame dwell-

200 acres. 160 of which is prairie, 40 accessing ber, detached one mile distant. Praise will reneed with hedge and rail fence, and sand-vided into 4 fields; good orchard of 62 trees, Good one and half story frame house containing 7 rooms, good stable; siturted 9 naies southeast of Mexico and 4 miles south of Benton City, on the Wabash railroad. Price \$22.50 per acreone half cash, balance, time to suit purchaser.

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400 acres. All under tence save 20 acres to acres in blue grass, 100 acres in timber, balance cultivating land 2 story frame house 4xx8 con-taining 6 rooms, has good roomy hall. 2 good barns' smoke house, ice house and other good out-buildings, good orchard of fine selection of timber. Good one and half story frame dwellling of 6 rooms, good orehard, good out-buildings,
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